

What is claimed is:

- 1. An apparatus for trimming candle wicks comprising:**
 - A means of vertically trimming a candle wick**
 - A means of candle wick clipping removal from the immediate surroundings of the candle or container**
 - A means to hold multiple candle wick clippings in the instrument**
- 2. The apparatus of claim 1, wherein the instrument has a cutting devise and a backing pad upon which to produce a cutting or trim plane.**
- 3. The apparatus of claim 1, wherein the instrument has a dual opposing cutting devise surface**
- 4. The apparatus of claim 1, wherein the instrument has a scissor like action or reverse scissors like action.**
- 5. The apparatus of claim 1, wherein the instrument has a loop type cutting tool.**
- 6. The apparatus of claim 1, wherein the instrument has a tweezers like action.**
- 7. The apparatus of claim 1, wherein the instrument has a pocket to hold the wick clipping or multiple wick clippings.**
- 8. The apparatus of claim 1, wherein a means of suction is used to vacuum the wick clipping to a holding pocket so that more wicks can be trimmed prior to discard.**
- 9. The apparatus of claim 1, wherein the instrument has a manual tilt ability to be able to move the NUB to the holding pocket by gravity for multiple NUB collection.**
- 10. The apparatus of claim 1, wherein the unit is fabricated of metal, glass, ceramic, plastic, of other and combinations of these or like items.**
- 11. The apparatus of claim 1, wherein the instrument has a length to trim the wick per candle manufacturers established distance above the cooled wax surface of the candle.**

12. The apparatus of claim 1, wherein the instrument has an adjustable length to trim the wick to the operator preferred distance above the cooled wax surface of the candle.